

OXFORD-HARRINGTON RARE DISEASE SCHOLAR AWARD

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

OVERVIEW

The Oxford-Harrington Rare Disease Scholar Award **accelerates breakthrough academic discoveries into new treatments for rare diseases**. Awardees have access to the Oxford-Harrington Rare Disease Centre Therapeutics Accelerator, which receives support from a partnership between University of Oxford, Oxford Science Enterprises, and University Hospitals in Cleveland, Ohio.

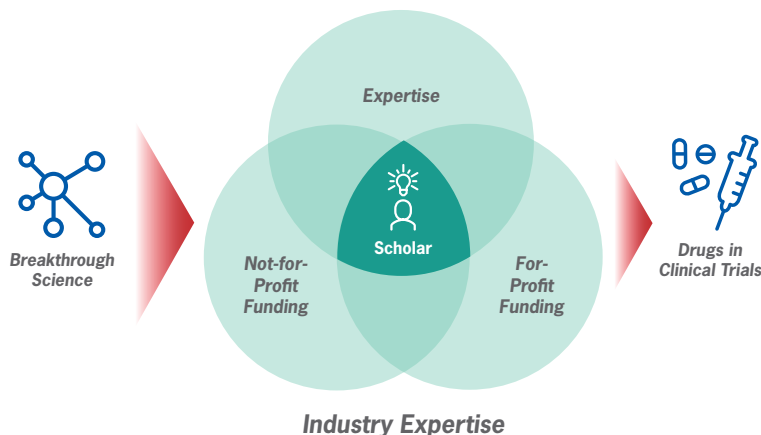
Successful applicants will receive:

- **£100K (UK) or USD\$100K (US and CA)** guaranteed grant award
- **One year of drug and business development support**, with potential to renew for a second year based on milestones met
- **Access to Oxford** facilities and infrastructure, including oligonucleotide synthesis and screening, small molecule and protein platforms, cell and gene therapy facilities, as well as genomics capabilities and links to **Genomics England**
- Opportunity to qualify for acceleration funds up to **£250K (UK) or USD\$300K (US and CA)** and investment funds according to project requirements

Eligibility: MD or PhD researchers at accredited academic medical centers, research institutions and universities in the UK, US, and Canada.

Note: IP rights are retained by the awardee and their institution.

THERAPEUTICS ACCELERATOR



Drug Development | Business Development | Commercial Strategy



PROPOSALS OF INTEREST

- Novel approaches to treat **rare diseases**
- Emphasis on **neurological disorders, developmental and metabolic disorders, and rare cancers**
- Other rare genetic indications with high unmet need
- Any therapeutic modality

IMPORTANT DATES

6 February 2024

Call opens for applications

26 March 2024

Application submission deadline

April – July 2024

Applications under review

October 2024

Notification of award

QUESTIONS?

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